2016 – SKYWARN Schedule

City	Date	Time	Address
		(Local)	
Snyder	February 8 (Monday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Snyder Fire Station - 1911 27th St
Pecos	February 9 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Odessa College - 1000 S Eddy
Big Spring	February 16 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	City Council Chambers - 307 E 4th St.
Rankin	February 17 (Wednesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Upton County Courthouse - 205 E 10th Ave
Monahans	February 18 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Monahans Convention Center - 400 E 4 th St
Crane	February 22 (Monday)	6:30-8:30 PM	Crane Fire Station - 212 W 6 th St
Andrews	February 23 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Andrews Fire Station - 105 Commerce Dr
Lamesa	February 24 (Wednesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Forrest Park Community Center - 10 th and Houston
Colorado City	February 25 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Civic Center - Thompson Room - 2 nd and Elm.
Midland	February 29 (Monday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Midland College - Marie Hall Building, Room 101
Garden City	March 1 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Garden City Community Center - 117 S Myrl St.
Seminole	March 3 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Seminole Old City Hall - 101 E Ave A
Stanton	March 8 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Stanton County Library - 110 W School St
Carlsbad, NM	March 15 (Tuesday)	6:00-8:00 PM	Fire Station Administration and Training Complex – 1400
			Commerce Drive, Meeting Room 2
Hobbs, NM	March 16 (Wednesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	County Commission Chambers - 200 East Broadway
Kermit	March 17 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Kermit Community Center - 118 N Poplar.
Alpine	March 22 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Sul Ross – Turner Range Animal Science Bldg - Room 130
Fort Davis	March 23 (Wednesday)	6:30-8:30 PM	Fire Department - 201 W. Court St
Van Horn	March 24 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00PM	Van Horn Convention Center - 1801 W Broadway St.
Marfa	March 29 (Tuesday)	6:30-8:30 PM	Marfa City Hall - 113 South Highland Ave.
Odessa	March 31 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Central Fire Station - 1100 W 2 nd .
Iraan	April 7 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Iraan Community Center - 100 W 6th St.
Tatum, NM	April 11 (Monday)	7:00-9:00 PM	TBD
Fort Stockton	April 14 (Thursday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Fort Stockton Fire Station - 180 A St.
Eunice, NM	April 18 (Monday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Eunice City Fire Department - 1107 Ave J
Lovington, NM	April 19 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Lovington Chamber of Commerce - 201 South Main
Artesia, NM	May 10 (Tuesday)	7:00-9:00 PM	Public Safety Complex - 3300 W Main St – Room 150

Each year, the National Weather Service in Midland conducts Skywarn spotter training courses across portions of west Texas and southeast New Mexico. NWS spotter training is open to the public at no charge.

This weather course is an opportunity for families to prepare for the upcoming severe weather season by providing information that can be used to develop severe weather safety plans. Additionally, different techniques are discussed for determining storm severity.

By completing the two hour course, attendees become NWS Skywarn spotters. Members of Skywarn, a volunteer weather spotting group, help relay ground truth information about thunderstorms to local officials and to the National Weather Service. The NWS uses this vital information in conjunction with radar and satellite information during severe weather operations.

Please join us, along with friends and family, at any of the National Weather Service Skywarn spotter training courses scheduled for your area.

If you have any pictures that we can use in a future Skywarn presentation please email them to Mark Strobin (mark.strobin@noaa.gov).

If you have any questions please contact Mark Strobin (<u>mark.strobin@noaa.gov</u>).